

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A mobile terminal comprising:
a first antenna as a omnidirectional antenna;
a second antenna as directional antenna; and

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a switching unit for switching over the antenna
for receiving.

2. A mobile terminal according to claim 1,
10 further comprising:

a printed circuit board mounted with the first
antenna and the second antenna;

a first box body holding the printed circuit
board; and

15 a second box body rotatable secured to the
first box body,

wherein the first antenna is provided in the
vicinity of a front edge portion on the side opposite
to the securing side of the first box body on the
20 printed circuit board, and

the second antenna is provided on an flip side
of the surface facing the second box body on the
printed circuit board when the first box body and the
second box body are folded together.

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3. A mobile terminal according to claim 1,
wherein the switching unit switches over the

receiving antenna, corresponding to whether the first box body and the first box body are in a folded state or in an unfolded state.

5 4. A mobile terminal according to claim 3,
wherein the switching unit, in the case of the folded
state, switches over the receiving antenna to the
second antenna and, in the case of the unfolded state,
switches over the receiving antenna to the first
10 antenna.

 5. A mobile terminal according to claim 1,
wherein the switching unit switches over the
receiving antenna in accordance with a receiving
15 sensitivity.

 6. A mobile terminal according to claim 5,
wherein the switching unit, when a specified
receiving sensitivity is not obtained during a
20 receipt by the first antenna, switches over to the
receipt by the second antenna.